

## CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

## INFORMATION REPORT

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1. The Georgi Dimitrov Wire Factory is located 20 meters east of the barracks of an unidentified armored unit in Burgas, 80 meters north of the Black Sea, and west of a sunflower seed processing factory. It is on the Burgas-Sredets (now Grudovo) highway and has a spur railway from the Burgas railroad station. (See Appendix, pages 22 and 30 for location and installations.)

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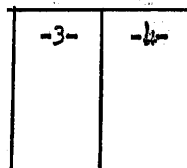
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2. The factory produces nails, horseshoes, wire, iron plows, and unspecified machine parts. Approximately 360 workers are employed in two 8-hour shifts.
3. Equipment includes five machines for making horseshoes and two machines for drawing wire.
4. Yordan Yanov is an executive at the factory. Yanov worked at the factory prior to 1944, was imprisoned "several" times before 1944 as a Communist, was an organizer for the Communist Party in Burgas after 1944, and was Chief of the Burgas District People's Council from 1948 to 1950.
5. The factory grounds, 500 by 300 meters in size, are surrounded by a brick wall two meters high and 25 centimeters thick. Strangers must procure entrance permits from the gateman.

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1. Canteen.
2. Guard 's room.
3. Office.
4. Dining room.
5. Baths.
6. Nail workshop.
7. Oven and horseshoe shop.
8. Foundry.
9. Repair shop.
10. Storeroom.
11. Cloakroom.
12. Workers' homes.
13. Guard's room.
14. Vegetable garden.
15. Armored unit barracks.
16. "Gocho Ivanov" barrel factory.
17. "Cooperative for the disabled."
18. Workers' dormitories.
19. Workers' dormitories.
20. Sunflower oil factory.
21. Depot.
22. Depot.
23. Depot.
24. Primary school.
25. "Hunters' Park".
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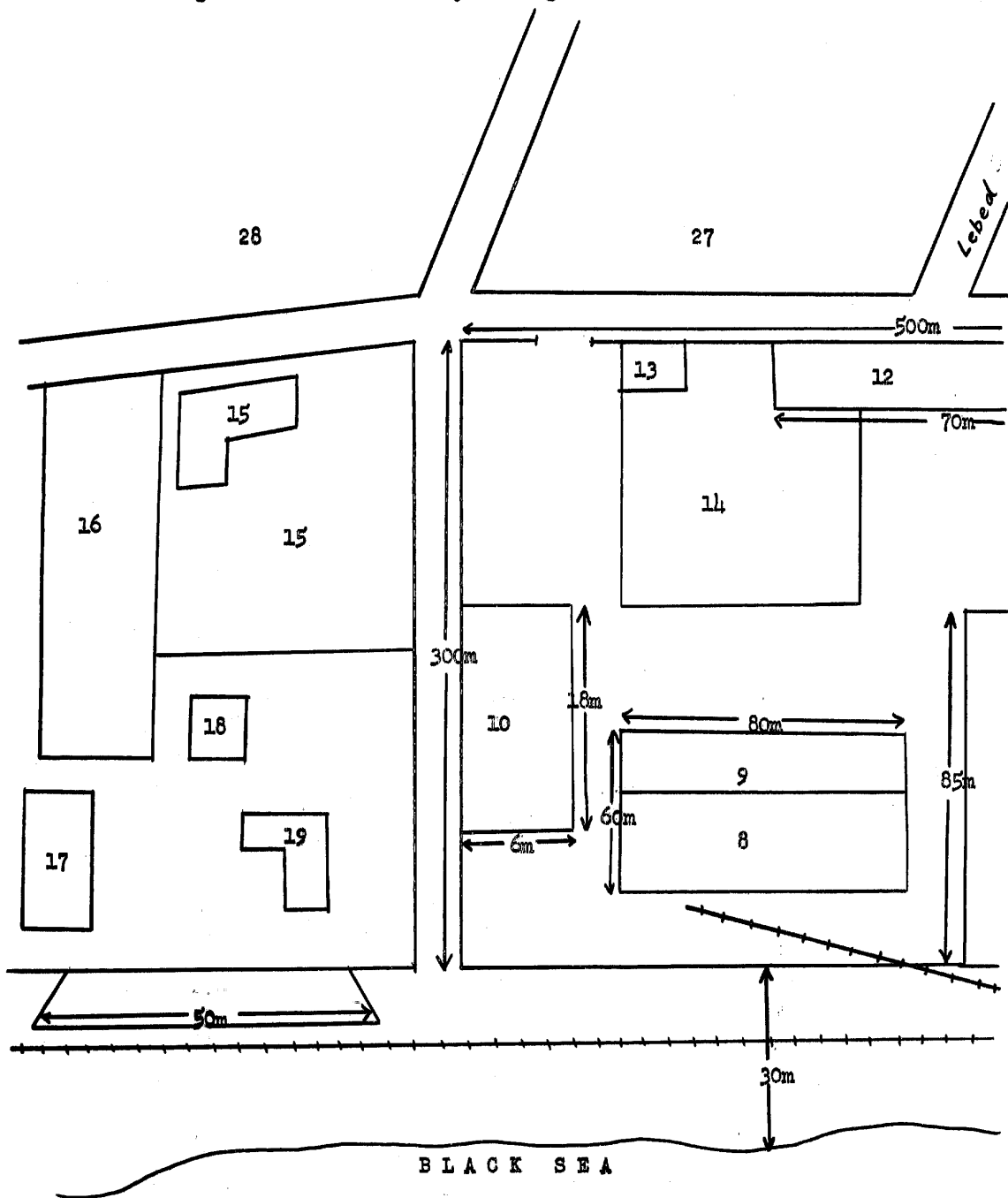
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The Georgi Dimitrov Wire Factory in Burgas



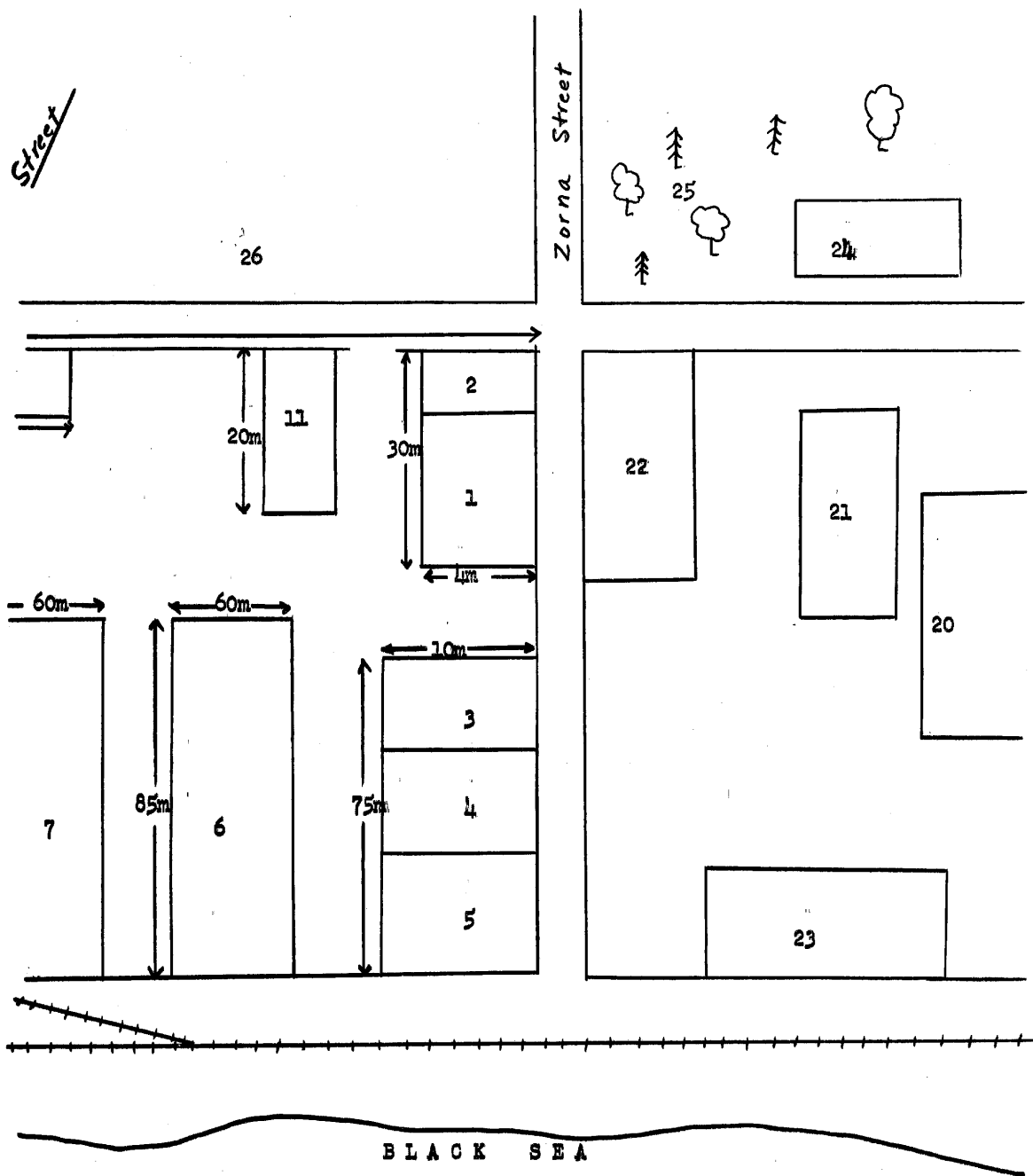
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